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Title: HIGHLY RELIABLE AMORPHOUS HIGH-K GATE OXIDE ZrO₂

AMENDMENT & RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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In response to the Advisory Action dated August 1, 2006, and the Final Office Action dated May 17, 2006, please amend the application as follows: